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Washington, D.C. 20231

RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 7, 2002, please amend the above identified application as follows and consider the following remarks.

In The Claims

1. (Twice Amended) A three dimensional, unitary, molded, polymeric article comprising a generally planar base section with a first side and a second side formed from a first polymer material and at least one projecting element with a base section and a terminal part, the projecting element extending from the first side of said base section, wherein at least some terminal parts of said projecting elements are formed from a second polymer material, and wherein said first polymer material and said second polymer material are distinct polymeric materials.

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